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## WARLIKE ASPECT IN NORTH MEXICO

Red Cross Nurses and Government troops Hurry to The Front.

#### ARREST REBEL SYMPATHIZERS

Taken to Indicate That Madero's Proclamation Has Been Circulated Throughout the Republic.

Douglas, Ar., Dec. 15-With red cross nurses in the rebel zone near Chihuahua and many trains bearing government troops from the south to the scene of the hostilities the cities along the Mexican national and the Mexican Central railroads are reported by passengers to present a war-like appearance. The aim of the government appears to be to bring in as nany mountain guns as possible, while the rebels hope to have an early successful clash with the troops and secure a few pieces of artillery.

A great number of arrests of rebels sympathizers are reported from various points. This is taken to indicate that Madero's proclamation has been given wide circulation and that while the insurgent sympathizers are not strong enough to take the field in open rebellion, they are secretly at work in aid of the Madero movement.

work in aid of the Madero movement. Many of the prominent Mexicans who have been arrested have been sent to the City of Mexico.

At Aguas Callentes, Enrique Bordes Mangel, Jesus De La Cardenas and others have been arrested and sent south to the Mexican prisons at the capital. Wholesale arrests have been reported from Orizaba in the far north, where it was feared the citymight fall into the hands of the re-

might fail into the hands of the rebels.

Various farmers from Qaxaca, having gone to the capital were arrested on suspicion.

In the city of Tlaxcala, Deputy Manuel Cuellar, a loyalist, arrested Francisco Cortes, whom it was learned by documents in his possession Madero had appointed rebel mayor or jefe politico of the city. Documents wers fround showing that Cortes had appointed provisional jefes for the cities of San Isidro, Buen Suceso, San Marcos, Contia, San Miguel, Cances and Santa Catarina Aometia.

Antonio De Cardenas, secretary of the National Democratic party, and Antonio Lalison Banuet, a member of the same party, are reported under arrest in the City of Mexico.

Women continue to play an important part in the transmission of information for the rebels, they being less liable to suspicion by the federal officials.

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It is reported from Puebla, which was the scene of the earliest rising of the present disturbance that Senorita Aurea San Martin Bax had her home raided and ammunition found there which it was charged she was distributing. Other suspects were arrest.

#### REPORTS DISCREDITED. BY EL PASO ARRIVALS

El Paso, Texas, Dec. 15.—Arrivals from Mexico this morning, two from Madera, beyond Guerrero, do not credit reports from Mexico City that Mexican troops took that town. They do not think the Mexican troops have ever penetrated that far, unless they might have come across from Sonora, but all are certain that Gen. Navarro's column did not take the town as reported.

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Texas rangers and Sheriff Chaslain and two deputies have gone to the border from Marfa. No reports have been received in Marfa since Sunday from Ojinaga, and it is not known whether that town, Mulato and Presidio were taken by the rebels.

Americans arriving here from Guada-Americans arriving first roll duductions lajara bring copies of proclamations issued only last week calling upon all Mexicans to desist from patronizing Americans in any way, until "the brutal burning of our fellow countryman, the native of Guadalajara, Antonio Rodriguez, is sultably avenged." The proclamations are signed by over 200 business men of Guadalajara, all

cans. One paper, El Pais, pub-s it, and calls on all Mexicans to

### AMBASSADOR TANG.

San Francisco Chinese Chamber of

Comemree Wants Him Disciplined San Francisco, Dec. 15.—The Call says this morning that the Chinese chamber of commerce of this city has

asked the government at Pekin to dis-cipline Chang Yin Tang, ambassador to Washington, on account of his re-puted indifference to the treatment of Chinese immigrants by officials at this

port.
The trouble, says The Call, "was brought to a crisis when the minister refused to assist Dr. Kwan H. King, official brought here to investigate an official prought here to investigate the health regulations of the immigra-tion station. Dr. Kwan went from here to Washington with credentials from the Six Companies (a Chinese benevolent association) and the Chinese consul general, and sought to in-terest the minister in presenting the state department a protest against the treatment received by Lem Shec. son of a Chinese merchant, detained here. It is reported that the minister refused to present the protest.

### NATIONAL GUARD.

Sadly Lacking in Provision for Caring For Sick and Wounded,

Washington, Dec. 15.—Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of stuff of the army, has issued a circular prepared by Col. Weaver, chief of the militia divi-sion, calling the attention of the nation-al guard to the totally inadequate provision in their various organizations for the care of the sick and wounded in case the militia is called into active

exceptions, no ambulance companies of field hospitals have been provided for in the organized militia. In case of mobili-zation, in military divisions there would be an almost complete deficiency of san-itary units which normally should be provided therefor.

provided therefor.

Incidentally attention is called to the fact that under the new field regulations, the commission and enlisted personnel of the medical department which is assigned to field sanitary service will bear the new designation of "sanitary troops."

## MONTANA COMMISSION ADVERSE TO O. S. L.

Directs Railroad to Place Stockyards At Bond as Result of Nelson Petition.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 15.-The state board of railroad commissioners today handed down its decision in the case of Thomas Nelson and the Beaverhead Ranch company against the Oregon Short Line Railway company which was instituted to compel the carrier to establish an agency and

carrier to establish an agency and provide station facilities at Bond, six miles north of Dillon.

The company contended the facilities required would cost \$11,067, but the commission says such extensive plans are not necessary and the railroad is ordered to provide not later than February 1 next suitable stockyards, station buildings and appurtenances and to place an agent in charge thereof for the proper conduct of freight and passenger business and that at least one passenger train daily in each direction shall stop at said station. If after one year, the defendant can show by verified figures that the volume of business transacted does not warrant the continuance of the station, the commission will authorize its closure.

#### **CUBAN MERCHANT KIDNAPED** AND HELD FOR RANSOM

New Orleans, Dec. 15 .- A special to the Picayunne from Havana, Cuba

the Picayunne from Havana, Cuba.
says:
"Senor Criscencio Perez, a wealthy
merchant of Sancti Spiritus, Santa
Clara province, was kidnaped by the
bandit Inocent Solls, and \$6,000 is
being demanded as the price for the
restoration of the prisoner. Senor
Perez's whereabouts are unknown.
As this is the second occurrence of
the kind within two days there is great
alarm throughout the province. senor Rafael Ceninz, a merchant of Havana, was captured by bandits in Remedics, Santa Clara province, Monday and was only freed after \$1,500 had been paid. He was badly treated and when returned to his friends was wounded.

wounded Inocent Tolis, who is the captor of Senor Perez, is a notorious bandit, known sometimes as "El Guerilleoro." Last summer he obtained \$4,000 as ransom for a son of Manuel Lope, of Ciego De Civide.

#### TORTURED AND THEN ROBBED HELPLESS WOMAN

San Francisco, Dec. 15 .-- After torturing a woman for an hour, pricking her throat with a dagger and threatening immediate death, a robber last night gained possession of \$25 and a diamond brooch and escaped. His victim was Mrs. Rene Fabulet, wife of a jeweler.

Mrs. Fabulet had just sold her interest in a rooming house for \$90 and the thief had heard of this. He work into her home beat her un-

and the thief had heard of this, He broke into her home, beat her unmercifully, tied her to a bed and then began flashing his dagger, and demanding her money.

When the robber left he told Mrs. Fabulet he would send some one to release her in ten minutes, After an interval the janitor of the house, Albert Tusch came in, unbound the woman and then summoned the police. Tusch himself was arrested when Mrs. Fabulet stated that she had recognized a friend of his in the robbery.

Mrs. Fabulet's injuries made it necessary to remove her to a hos-

#### HOTEL WAITERS OPPOSE BERTILLON SYSTEM

New York, Dec. 15.—The officers of he Hotel Waiters' union here announce that they will oppose the pro-posed establishment of the Bertillon system of identification by New York hotel owners. The application of such a system, declare the union officials, would be a blow at the liberty of the would be a blow at the liberty of the individual. The system as recently proposed provided for the registering of height, weight, age, measurements and general characteristics, by all applicants for positions in hotels.

#### IF HE BECOMES A MINISTER CANNOT RECEIVE LEGACY

New York, Dec. 15 .- A legacy of \$10,000 is to be given to 17-year-old Thomas Osborne, of River Head, Long

Thomas Osborne, of River Head, Long Island, if he does not assume the profession of a clergyman. This is the provision of the will of his great aunt, Mrs. Helen Stone, who died at the age of 80 years a few days ago.

Mrs. Stone states that her reason for making a provision against the lad entering the ministry is not-prejudice against the cloth, but is based on her belief that a clergyman—"especially a Methodist clergyman"—has no fixed residence and does not need money for "settling down." The boy's father snys that, so far as he knows, his son has no leaning for the ministry.

#### AMERICAN AND ITALIAN MINERS HAVE A FIGHT

Grantsville, Cal., Dec. 15 .- Trouble between American and Italian laborers in the mines here, reached a climax

in a race riot Tuesday night.

Fights continued for hours, but only two men were seriously injured. Unconscious and bleeding from many wounds around the head, George Millwounds around the head, George Miller and James Wilson were found by the roadside just out of town, They had been attacked by five or six Italians, it is said, and the fight lasted for fully an hour. Deputy Sheriff Kile arrested two Italians today on a charge of having assaulted Miller and Wilson,

#### RAILROADS APPEAL TO .... COMMISSIONER NEIL

Chicago. Dec. 15.—The western rall-roads have appealed to United States Commissioner of Labor Charles P. Neill. and to Chairman Martin Knapp of the interstate commerce commission, to act as mediators in the wage controversy between the rallroads and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, it was learned today.

### BRIG. GEN. FUNSTON ASSIGNED TO LUZON

Washington, Dec. 15 .- Orders issued Washington, Dec. 15.—Orders issued from the war department today assigned Brig.—Gen. Frederick Funston, in command of the army service schools, Fort Leavenworth, to command of the department of the Luzon in the Philippines, relieving Brig.—Gen. Ramsay B. Potts, who will take command of the service schools at Fort Leavenworth. The changes will take place Jan. 15.

## RENEWEDINTEREST IN TOBACCO CASES

Supreme Court's View of "Continuing Offenses" Starts Lawyers Thinking.

#### DECISION IN THE KISSEL CASE

Came on Eve of Re-Argument of Standard Oll and Tobacco Cases Before the Court.

eve of the re-argument of the dissolution suits against the Standard Oil and the Tobacco corporations, the decision last Monday by the supreme court of the United States that a conspiracy under the Sherman anti-trust law may be a "continuing offense," has aroused new interest in the forthcom-

ing legal contest. The court delivered this decision in

The court delivered this decision in the Kissel case.

While the question of a conspiracy under the Sherman anti-trust law being "continuing" did not become the leading Issue in either the Standard Oil or the Tobacco corporations, it figured in the argument in both cases. It was more prominent in the Standard Oil suit. Just what effect the Kissel decision will have on the presentation of suit. Just what effect the Kissel de-cision will have on the presentation of the cases to the court is a mater of much speculation among corporation lawyers in the capital. It is known that the attorneys on both sides are preparing to give close study to the principles which guided the court in

principles which guided the court in arriving at the unanimous conclusion in regard to the "continuing" character of a conspiracy.

It is said that the argument may have an appreciable effect on the argument as to what weight should be given the acts of the corporations before the Sherman antitrust act was passed.

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In the first arguments of the Standard Oil case, counsel for that corporation contended that the alleged rebates and alleged unlawful exclusion of competitors from the trade were not to be considered at all because they could not be violations of a law not in existence. On the other hand, the representatives of the government argued that these allegations were very material; that they showed the "continuation" of the alleged conspiracy formed in 1870 and brought it down to the time of the operation of the act.

It has been suggested that the court may have completed its consideration of the Kissel case with more than ordinary, speed in order to get the holding before the country for the guidance of counsel in arguing the big corporation cases immediately after New Years. This applies particularly to the statement in the opinion that a conspiracy is constituted by an agreement, to be sure, but the "conspiracy" is the result of the agreement rather than the agreement itself, just as a partnership, although constituted by a than the agreement itself, just as a partnership, although constituted by a contract, is not the contract but is a result of it.

#### CANADIAN FARMERS MEETING IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 15 .- A thousand prosperous Canadian farmers assem-bled in the Grand Opera house at Ot-tawa today to formulate demands on tawa today to formulate demands on the dominion government. They came from all parts of Canada, every prov-ince being represented with the ex-ception of Prince Edward Island, the smallest, and British Columbia, the

This, the first meeting of the Canadian council of agriculture, is regarded as of the greatest importance to the dominion. It is an effort of the agri-culturists to impress their needs on

the lawmakers.
The initial demand is for abolition of customs duties on agricultural implements and for better commercial relations with the United Staes. The convention is expected to have some effect on the reciprocity proceedings to be resumed in Washington next

The delegations from the east and west of Canada had feared that there might be some conflict of views as to the demands to be made on the governthe demands to be made on the government. Early in the meeting, however, it was disclosed that both wanted primarily a reduction of the Canadian tariff on articles essential to the farm-

#### PROOFS OF OUTRAGE TO GO TO WASHINGTON

Washington, Dec. 15 .- Gustave A. Madero, the representative in Washington of the Mexican revolutionists, today made the following statement:

made the following statement:
"Telegraphic advices received last
night from the scene of Sunday's battle
near Cerro Prieto confirm in every detail the account of the special correspondent of the Associated Fress, even
to the killing of the wounded and prisoners by Navarro's men. We are led to believe that certain railroad men who are on the spot will testify to this out-rage, proofs of which shortly will reach Washington."

### COSSIO IN NEW BERTH.

Madrid. Dec. 15.-P. Diaz Cossio Spanish consul general at Constantino ole, has been appointed consul general

### My First Job And How I Got It

Will be interestingly narrated in THE CHRISTMAS NEWS .

## NEXT SATURDAY

By Govrnor Spry; Samuel New house; W. S. McCornick; Bishop Nibley; Congressman Howell; Jesse Knight; Mayor Bransford; L. S. Hills; John C. Cutler; W. J. Halloran: M. H. Walker; Thomas Weir: John Dern; William Roylance; W. V. Rice; Joseph Scow-Lafayette Holbrook; and Joy H. Johnson.

# GIGANTIC SCHEME MAY BE REVEALED

Traffic in Orientals Engineered by White Men May be Uncovered.

#### FOLLOWS LATE DISCLOSURES

Smuggling of Fifteen Contraband Chinese From Steamer Manchuuria Started the Investigation.

San Francisco, Dec. 15.-That the investigations following the smuggling into San Francisco of 15 contraband Chinese on Dec. 4 from the steamship Manchuria may result in the uncovering of a gigantic traffic in Orientals, in which white men are engaged, was the statement made today by Frederick S. Stratton, collector of the port of San Francisco,

S. Stratton, collector of the port of San Francisco.

"I have no doubt that there is flagrant evasion of the law along the Pacific coast," said Collector Stratton. "but with our present resources we are practically powerless to stop it. Several years ago immigration officials were taken off the big boats, when they lay at the docks, and the big liners are without surveillance after docking, except that of the customs of-ficials."

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Immigration officials, within the last
month, have turned their attention to
Mexico, from which, they declare, large
numbers of Chinese recently have been
smuggled. The revenue cutters Bear
and McCulloch are patrolling the north
coast of Mexico, in the vicinity of Ensenada, from which place Chinese laborers are known to have been brought
and landed at Carmel-by-the-Sea, a
California point. A schedule of prices
has been fixed by the purchasers of the
Oriental laborers, a healthy adult
bringing \$2,500. Two thousand dollars
is the price paid for a slave woman.

Opium smuggling is daily becoming
a more difficult problem, according to
customs officials, with the constant discovery of new means of bringing in the
drug. Quantities are known to have
been brought in recently by dropping it

drug. Quantities are known to nave-been brought in recently by dropping it in casks from vessels near the Farra-lone islands (off the Golden Gate), to be picked up later by small launches be picked up later by small addicies at night.

Affidavits will be demanded by every member of the crew of the Manchurla regarding the smuggling of Dec. 4 and in the event of their failure to give satisfactory explanations indictments will be asked for from the United States district attorney.

## **COALITION PARTIES** NOW HAVE MAJORITY

Only Sixty-four Seats Remain to be Filled in Parliament—Primrose Defeats Lord Cecil,

London, Dec. 15 .- Only 64 seats in the new parliament remain to be filled and the coalition parties already have a majority of 92, although the Unionists as a party wil have the largest membership th a total of 257 members elected to

with a total of 257 members elected to date.

The supporters of the government are made up as follows:
Liberals, 236; Irish Nationalists, 64; Independent Nationalists, 9; Labor Members, 40; an aggregate of 349. The laborites thus far have secured the same number of seats they held in the last parliament.
Two Liberal gains and one Unionist, in the returns made known today, give the Liberals a net gain of a single seat in the 606 constituencies now polled.
The Dartford division of Kent and Kirkcuddrightshire returned to their faith of Liberalism while the Unionists turned out the Liberal member, H. C. F. Luttnell, for the Tavistock division of Devonshire, electing J. W. Spear.
There was much interest in the fight between the sons of two former premiers for the seat for the Wisbech division of Cambridgeshire, but Neil Primrose, the sitting Liberal member, easily staved off the attack of Lord Robert Cecil, the Unionist candidate, and increased his former majority of 200 to 544.
The final pollings in England will be held on Saturday. A few Irish and Scotch constituencies will vote on Monday, and these returns will complete the elections.

#### GRAND JURY PROBE IN RODRIGUEZ CASE

Rock Springs, Tex., Dec. 15 .- In his Rock Springs, Tex., Dec. 15.—In his charge to the grand jury which convened yesterday, Circuit Judge Purney instructed that the recent burning of Antonio Rodriguez be investigated. Rodriguez was burned at the stake after he had confessed to the killing of Mrs. Lem Henderson, wife of a ranch owner. Following the lynching anti-American demonstrations occurred anti-American demonstrations occurred at Guadalajara and other points in Mexico, the first information being that Rodriguez was a Mexican. Since, it has been discovered that the man vas a native of New Mexico.

#### CARNEGIE SPEAKS TONIGHT BEFORE PEACE CONVENTION

Washington, Dec. 15.—Stimulated by Andrew Carnegie's gift of \$11,500,000 for the abolition of war between nations and by the knowledge that the fund will be used largely for objects akin to its own, the American Society for Judicial Sctlement of International Disputes will open a three days' international conference tought. The society's tional conference tonight. The society's aim is the establishment of a perma-nent tribunal of arbitral justice. Such a court was advocated by Secy, of State Knox in a note to the powers and

State Knox in a note to the powers and was adopted at the last Hague conference, plans for realizing of the tribunal being left open.

Mr. Carnegle will be the principal speaker this evening, his subject being "The Moral Issue of War."

Arrangements have been made for the translation of the proceedings of the conference into every language and the complete publication thereof as well as the dissemination of the literature to the four corners of the globe. Secy, of State Knox, who was to have presided, and President Tatt, who also was to have attended tonight will not be present because of a conflict of appointments, but both will attend other sessions.

# CANDY FOR KLONDIKE KIDS.

CANDY FOR RICHARD RE RIPS.

Uniontown, Pa., Dec. 15.—Fifty thousand pounds of candy has been purchased by the Frick Coal & Coke company, a subsidiary of the U. S. Steel corporation, for distribution among the 3,000 children of its employes in the Connellsville and Klondyke regions. Supt. John Lynch of another subsidiary will have charge of the distribution.

# MINERS TRAPPED IN BURNING MINE

Ten Men Believed to be Beyond Rescue in No. 2 Shaft of Leyden Workings.

#### TRY TO DIG THEMSELVES OUT

Rescue Party Heavs Men at Work as They Are Trying to Reach Them.

Denver Dec. 15 .- With chances against their being rescued alive, 10 men are imprisoned today in the mine of the Leyden Coal company at Leyden, 14 miles west of Denver. No. 2 shaft, through which the men must come if rescued, is on fire, and apparently the mine is full of gas, as a rabbit, placed in a box, was lowered six feet in the shaft for 20 minutes and brought out dead.

The air compressor, tipple and hoist of the mine have been burned, making it impossible to clear the mine of gas.

The fire started from an electric spark from a motor. This caused an explosion and the timbering of the shaft was soon blazing flercely. There has been a strike on at the mine for some time and the entombed men were engaged in cleaning up the property. Mine officials say they have one chance to escape. If the men, finding their escape cut off, turned north, in the workings, they may be alive, but if they turned south, it is feared that by this time all from a motor. This caused an expl south, it is feared that by this time all

south, it is reared that by this time are are dead.

Shaft No. 1 is separated from shaft No. 2 by a narrow wall. A rescue party under the direction of Samuel Perry, president of the Leyden Coal company, is endeavoring to break down the wall, and the imprisoned men could be heard working madly in their efforts to gain freedom, and at the same time efforts were made to gain an entrance to the entombed men through shaft No. 1.

Efforts to force an entrance to shaft No. 2, were later abandoned, as it was found that a draft would soon put the fire beyond control. All energy is being centered in an effort to extinguish the fire in shaft No. 2, but at 10:30 this morning the fire was burning fiercely.

The government mine rescue car left Trinidad this morning for Leyden.

#### HENRY C. DAVIS DIED AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

New York, Dec. 15.—Henry C. Davis, a Wall street banker and broker, and president of the Wisconsin Society of New York, died at his home here early today after an illness of only a few days. He was 61 years of age.

Mr. Davis was regarded as an authority on railroad finance and railroad construction work. He was born in New Hampshire but moved to Wisconsin while a boy. He occupied various positions with the Union Pacific and Northern Pacific before returning east 10 years ago. He spent some time in London in charge of Charles T. Yerkes' underground railroad and was also at one time associated with the Guggenheims in Colorado mining ventures. helms in Colorado mining ventures.

#### PRESIDENT ORDERS REPORT WITHHELD

Washington, Dec. 15.—President Taft today directed Secy. of War Dickinson to withhold from Congress entirely his report on the national defense made in answer to the resolution passed by the house of representatives. The house yesterday declined to receive the report in confidence. Hence it will not be sent n confidence. Hence it will not be sent

### TO SEEK SOUTH POLE.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 15.—Definite assurance that Harry Whitney of this city, intends to start next year if possible in search of the south pole, is contained in a telegram sent by Mr. Whitney from New Orleans to the Jour-

Capt. Bartlett, who commanded the Rossevelt on its north pole expedition under command of Commander Peary, will accompany Mr. Whitney.

#### KILLED WIFE; THEN HIMSELF. New York, Dec. 15.-John F. Heines of Astoria, New York., shot and killed his wife. Josie Heines at their home today and then cut his throat with a razor, dying shortly afterwards. The police have not learned what caused

the double tragedy. YANKEE JOYRIDERS JAILED. Brest, France, Dec. 15.—Three sallors of the U. S. battleship Minnesota were arrested today charged with having assaulted and robbed a chauffeur whose automobile, it is alleged they

seized for a nocturnal joy ride.

#### S. S. COLORADO IN DISTRESS. New York, Dec. 15.—The steamer Colorado of the Clyde line sent word by wireless this afternoon that she was unmanagable in a gale off the coast on her way to this city from

Boston. RASCO IS ARRAIGNED.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 15.—Hez. Rasco, the farin hand accused of the murder, near Barnard, Mo., Nov. 20, of the four members of the Hubbell family, was taken from Jall here today to Maryville, Mo., for formal arraignment. He was heavily ironed and probably will be returned to the St. Joseph Jail after the date for trial is set.

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Our Farms. Our Manufactures. Our Real Estate. Our Building.

Our Live Stock. Our Beet Sugar Industry. Our Business,

Our Banks. Will all be represented in The Christmas News,

NEXT

# SATURDAY

## SIX DAYS ON DERELICT WITH OUT ANY FOOD

Story of Disaster That Brought Death to All Except Himself.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 15 .- After drift ing six days without food on a derelict, Theodore Anderson, a Swede, swam to shore on the west coast of Australia, He told a thrilling story of the disaster that had brought death to every other member of the crew. News of the tragedy was brought here last night by the steamer Moana from Brisbane by the steamer Moana from Brisbane.

The derelict was a pearling lugger of 200 tons, the Hugh Norman. She was sailing down the coast from Broome to Fremantle when she struck a reef. The dingy was launched and all the members of the crew except Anderson and the captain boarded her. The little boat drifted away and was swamped. All her occupants were drowned.

The captain ordered Anderson to

The captain ordered Anderson to jump in after the dingy, but, seeing three sharks cruising in the vicinity, he refused.

Later the lugger drifted off the reef, and the captain leaped overboard and tried to swim ashore, but he was at-tacked and devoured by sharks. Next day Anderson decided to risk all in an effort to reach land. It took him an hour to swim ashore, and he was pursued by sharks, but escaped

#### LORIMER COMMITTEE MAKES NO STATEMENT

Washington, Dec. 15,—The senate sub-committee which has conducted the in-vestigation of the election of Senator William Lorimer of Illinois, met to-day and went over its report for the ex-oneration of Mr. Lorimer. The committee adheres to its rule of

naking no statement concerning the nature of the findings until after the sub-committee's report had been made to the full committee on privileges and elections. Senator Burrows, chairman of both committees, said that the full committee would be called to receive committee would be called to receive the report, probably on Saturday.

#### BRIGHAM CITY MAY HAVE LIMIT RAISED

(Special to The News.) (Special to The Kews)
Washington, Dec. 15.—Increasing the limit of cost of the public building at Brigham City by \$65,000 and also authorizing an appropriation of \$50,000 for continuing the surveys of public lands in Garfield, Iron, Kane, San Juan

and Washington counties, a bill was, presented by Representative Joseph Howell Wednesday.

Senator Borah introduced a bill appropriating \$200,000 for a public building at Caldwell, Idaho.

#### SENTIMENTAL GIRL HAD UNUSUAL RING

St. Louis, Dec. 15.—Miss Cora Evelyn yesterday asked the police to locate a robber who stole from her \$250 worth of jewelry, including an unusual ring. The ring contained the ashes of her former sweetheart, according to her statement. He was Charles Patterson, statement. He was Charles Patterson, who died in Binghampton, N. Y., about a year ago. After his body had been cremated, Miss Evelyn says she procured a small quantity of his ashes which she had placed in the setting of the ring behind a transparent film. Her reason for this, she said, was to have near her always some forcible reminder of her dead sweetheart.

#### TWO COME OUT ALIVE AFTER HARD STRUGGLE

Cincinnati, Ohio., Dec. 15.—Two of the 13 men entombed by the mine ex-plosions at Tacoma, Va., yesterday in which many lives were lost, emerged from the workings today in fairly condition, according to a special from Bluefields, West Virginia. The men told a dramatic story of

the struggle to prolong life under

G. E. Leapman and John Swete are the survivors. When the explosion took place, they rushed for the airshaft. Finding exit impossible they grasped a sledge hammer and with it broke a hole in a small air pipe.

By blacing their mouths close to this hole they obtained sufficient air to keep them alive. Unable to share their scanty supply of air they were forced to watch the unavailing struggles of other workmen to reach the spot.

Staggering through the gases the other men fell, in some instances within a few feet of Leapman and Swete. The only living thing about them when they left their refuge today to seek the outer air was a mule. How the animal managed to escape suf-

#### focation is a mystery. MARC-EMILE RACHET ELECTED PRESIDENT

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 15.—The federal assembly in joint session of the national and state councils today elected Marc-Emile Ruchet president of the Swiss Confederation for 1911 the swiss Confederation for 1911.
Louis Ferrer was chosen vice-president of the federal council.
M. Ruchet is now vice-president of the federal council and chief of the department of the interior. M. Ferrer occupied the presidency in 1906. The retiring president is Robert Comtess

### BANKER MORSE'S PLEA FORMALLY PRESENTED

Washington, Dec. 15.—Charles W. Morses' petition for pardon has been formally presented to the department of justice. One section of the plea of the convicted New York banker came in a large express package and was signed with the names of thousands of persons of prominence. persons of prominence.

Mrs. Morse has made another petition for her husband and this has been presented to President Taft by Senator

The president sent at it once to At-torney General Wickersham, who turned it over to the attorney in charge of wardons.

## McLACHLIN FOUND GUILTY.

Chevenne, Wyoming, Dec. 15,-The Cheyenne, Wyoming, Dec. 15.—The jury in the case of James McLachlin charged with the murder of his wife, brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree today. In this state the only penalty for such a crime is hanging, McLachlin shot his wife last September, and tried to kill himself. His plea was self-defense and he endeavored to show that the woman was chasing him with a butcher-knife when he shot her.

# RAIDERS DESCEND ON BUCKET SHOP

SIXTIETH YEAR

Chicago Concern in Rookery Building Closed Up By Secret Service.

#### USED THE MAILS TO DEFRAUD

With Drawn Revolvers, Police and Government Agents Take Everybody in Sight.

Chicago, Dec. 15 .-- U. S. secret officials here today raided the offices of the Capital Investment company, as a bucket shop. The main offices and four of its branches were visited and

papers and records confiscated. "Sid" McHie is said by federal officers to be the chief owner of the company. He is believed to be in Flori-

Charles F. Dewoody of the department of justice had charge of the raiders who swept into the Rookery building in the heart of the financial

district at noon. No warrant had been obtained by the government officials for the arrest of McHie. As soon as the contents of the office had been selzed a telegram from Aurora, Ill., and one from Jollet, Ill., announced that simultaneous raids had been successful, many papers and records being selzed.

#### HAS MANY BRANCHES.

The firm is said to have 33 branches in the middle west and to have done an extensive business in the buying and seiling of stocks. Although government officials were non-committal, they officials were non-committal, they identified their efforts as a general movement to stop "get-rich-quick" con-

Thirty policemen and 15 special agents of the department of justice made the raid on the main offices. When the raiders arrived at the of-fices the telephone girl asked what was wanted.

'We want the whole works," shouted

"We want the whole works," shouted Dewoody and at his words a policeman lifted the "hello girl" from her seat and broke connection on all calls, in or out.

Dewoody ran through the rooms and, drawing his revolver, shouted:
"Take your fingers off your telegraph keys and back up against the wall."

The throng of policemen and special agents had poured into the room behind him and the operators obeyed, preventing any warning or tip to offices outside.

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Angry customers soon began to arrive to protest against refusal of the company to answer their telephone calls and these were served with subpachases to appear before the United States commissioner late in the day.

Besides the Rookery building offices the following alleged bucket shop offices were raided here: F. J. Holzapfel, 225 Fifth avenue.

235 Fifth avenue.
Campbell & Co., Postal Telegraph building.

building.

Murphy & Co., 92 La Salle street.
Sanderson & Co., 335 the Rookery.

Telegrams received here say a federal agent left for Jacksonville, Fla., today to arrest McHle.

The specific charge on which the raid was based was using the United States wells to defraud.

## States mails to defraud. OVERLAND PERFORMANCE. El Paso, Tex., Dec. 15.—What is de-clared to be a distance record for the transmisison overland of a message was established yesterday when the

new wireless tower here was put into operation and greetings exchanged with San Francisco. RECOMMEND CONFIRMATION. Washington, Dec. 15.—The senate judiciary committee today referred the president's five appointments merce court judges to sub-committees for examination. The immediate confirmation of Willis Vandevanter of Wyoming and Joseph R. Lamar of Georgia as supreme court justices was recommended by the committee.

# MONTANA STATE LANDS. Helena, Mont., Dec. 15.—F. H. Ray, state land register, today filed with Gov. Norris, a statement showing the business of that department in the fiscal year just closed. Land sales of 42,339 acres were made, netting

\$2,733,000. BATTLESHIP IN COLLISION. Kiel, Germany, Dec. 15.-The German battleships Schwaben and Elsass col-lided in the bay last night. The former was considerably damaged but the Elsass escaped injury.

## S. S. PALERMO WRECKED.

London, Dec. 15.—The German steam-er Palermo is a total wreck off Cape Corrubodo on the west coast of Galicia, Spain. Her five passengers and crew of Advices received today state that the vessel struck and went to pleces during a flerce gale last Sunday night.

The Palermo was a freight and passenger vessel of 686 tons. She was last reported arriving at Hamburg from Palermo on Nov. 27. She was probably on her return trip when wrecked.

## FOUND DEAD IN HIS ROOM.

A. Jacobson, a Miner, Succumbs to Tuberculosis This Morning.

A. Jacobson, a Finlander, who has been employed at Bingham as a miner, was found dead in his room at 68 Commercial street this morning. Assistant City Phystician Hugh Sprague, who investigated the case, found that he died from natural causes, having been a victim of tuber-culosis. The body was removed to the O'Donnell undertaking pariors. Jacobson seems to have no living relatives.

### WOMEN VISIT UNIVERSITY.

Eighty members of the Ladies' Literary club under the leadership of their p sident, Mrs. W. R. Hutchinson, visited the University of Utah this morning ing. They divided up into groups and were conducted through all the departments of the institution. The purpose of the visit primarily was to inform themselves on just what the university is doing. At 1 o'clock they were con-ducted to the banquet hall, where they were served with luncheon, during which seven of their numbers and members of the university faculty gave short talks. They were especially favored by the presence of James Bengough, the Canadian educator, at the luncheon.

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